

Finding information – example answer

Activity 2

Whale song

Why do whales sing?

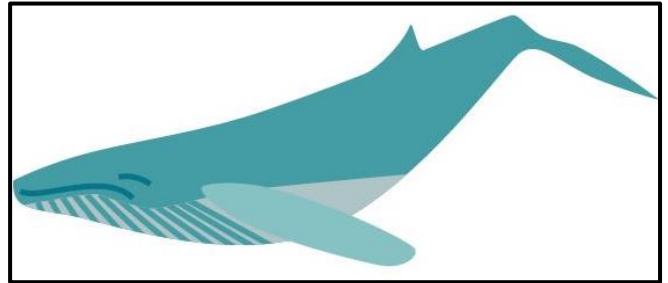
Blue whales sing to each other to **communicate**.

Two reasons why scientists think whales sing are to attract a mate, or to tell other whales where good feeding grounds are.

Only male blue whales sing complicated songs. Females tend just to call on a single note.

Interesting fact

- Whales can hear each other singing over big distances - whale songs can travel up to **96 kilometres**.



A blue whale